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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

BILLING-MEDEL et al.

Serial No.: 09/110,720

Group Art Unit: 1634

Filing Date: July 7, 1998

Examiner: S. Zitomer

Title:

REAGENTS AND METHODS USEFUL FOR DETECTING

DISEASES OF THE BREAST

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested in order to respond to the Office Action mailed May 25, 1999.

<u>X</u>	One month to September 25, 199	99. However,	the response date,
with one-mon	th extension, falls on a Saturday.	Accordingly,	the response date is
Monday, 27 S	September 1999. The extension fee	eis	

\$55 X \$110

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 Two months to \$190	\$380	The extension fee is		9
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_	A (one) (two) month Petition for Extension of Time was previously filed with the appropriate fee on			
	The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated			
<u>X</u>	A check to cover the \$110.00 extension fee is attached.			
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.			
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.				
		Respectfully submitted,		
Date: 27	Sept 1999 By	: Jany R. Febrar Gary R. Fabian, Ph.D. Registration No. 33,875 Agent for Applicants		
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